2. Correspondence ending with the following letter No. P. C. 198—1929-30, dated the 25th—28th August 1930, from the same Officer submitting for sanction his revised proposals in the matter:—

"With reference to your letter No. 238—Muz 43-30-2, dated 29th July 1930, enquiring whether the cost of the sites on which the Ayurvedic and Unani Hospital building is proposed to be put up has been taken into account in arriving at the estimated cost of the building, I have the honor to state that the President of the City Municipal Council states that he does not apprehend any difficulty in getting the site free of cost from the Trust Board, (*vide* letter No. G. T. 186, dated 6th August 1930, copy enclosed). But, it is likely to take some time and even after acquisition, the site will be enclosed by a wall and used as a compound to the College

2. It is proposed to raise a first floor over the whole of the present building at a cost of Rs. 25,000 to accommodate both the College and the Hospital in one and the same building. This addition will give a more imposing appearance to the present building and will be in keeping with the other important buildings in the locality, such as the Sree Krishnarajendra Hospital, the Chamarajendra Technical Institute and the Medical College buildings. Sowcar Dharmaprakasa Banumiah is agreeable to the utilisation of the endowment of Rs. 10,000 granted by him for the construction of the Hospital, raising the first floor of the College building. When the Dewan had been to Mysore to open the College building, he expressed his approval for putting up an upstair to the building.

3. In these circumstances, I request that administrative sanction may kindly be accorded for the construction of the first floor to the present Ayurvedic College building, at a cost of Rs. 25,000, Rs. 10,000 to be met from the endowment of Dharmaprakasa D. Banumiah and Rs. 15,000 from the Chattram Savings Funds in two or three instalments.

4. I request that early orders of Government may be obtained in the matter, as at present the Hospital is located in a rented building about a mile from the College, and the work of both the institutions suffers on account of this distance."

ORDER NO. 611-17—MUZ. 43-30-4, DATED 16TH SEPTEMBER 1930.

The Muzrai Commissioner's proposal to raise a first floor over the present Ayurvedic and Unani College building at an estimated cost of Rs. 25,000 is approved. Plans and Estimates for the work should be got prepared very early and submitted for sanction.

2. Government accept with pleasure the generous offer of Rs. 10,000 made by Dharmaprakasa Mr. D. Banumiah on this account. The amount will be deposited in the Savings Bank at the State Huzur Treasury in the name of the Muzrai Commissioner to be transferred to the Public Works Department when the work commences.

The Muzrai Commissioner is requested to convey the thanks of Government to the donor for his munificent contribution towards the advancement of the study of indigenous systems of medicine.

3. The balance of the estimated cost of the building, namely Rs. 15,000, will be met from the Chattram Savings Fund in two equal annual instalments.

B. SRINIVASA IYENGAR,
Secretary to Government,
Financial Department.

PUBLIC WORKS SECRETARIAT.

Acquisition of lands submerged under Krishnarajasagara.

READ—

1. Government Order No. 7726-28—L. R. 337-13-5, dated the 30th March 1914.
2. Letter No. C. 4216—29-30, dated the 2nd June 1930, from the Revenue Commissioner to the Development Secretary to Government.
3. Note No. D. 352, dated the 30th May 1930, by the Secretary to Government, Krishnarajasagara Works.

ORDER NO. P. W. 233-37—K. S. S. 1024-28, DATED 10TH SEPTEMBER 1930.

Land acquisition operations under the Krishnarajasagara are being settled till now on the basis of giving compensation for lands acquired by awarding lands in exchange, cash compensation being limited to about 20 per cent of the area for the benefit of those who are not agreeable to avail themselves of land compensation. This system

was working satisfactorily at the commencement of the operations, but latterly progress in the acquisition has been greately retarded owing to the want of sufficient area of good lands above the reservoir for being awarded, and to the unwillingness of the raiyats to accept lands given in exchange under the Irwin Canal and other channel extensions on account of the distance from their homes.

2. The question of settling compensation was therefore ordered to be investigated on the basis of cash awards for the remaining lands to be acquired up to the full storage level, and the Public Works Department and the Revenue Department have now jointly submitted a revised estimate of cost for adopting cash compensation as a general rule entailing a gross expenditure of Rs. 13·18 lakhs for completing the settlement. After allowing for credits to the extent of Rs. 2·50 lakhs for the irrigable lands still available for award, the amount of the revised estimates submitted is Rs. 10·69 lakhs, as shown in the appendix, involving a net excess of Rs 2·13 lakhs over the sanctioned estimate of Rs. 8·56 lakhs. It is also reported that this excess will eventually be more than covered by the higher rate of contribution promised by the raiyats in regard to the extensions of existing channels below the reservoir in which cases one-third surrender was ordered in Government Order No. 5108-12—L. R. 119-28-6, dated the 22nd December 1928, for finding lands for settling compensation by land exchange, and that therefore there is no advantage in adopting land compensation by acquiring lands on the basis of one-third surrender.

Sanction is accordingly asked for to the following proposals made in the Note by the Secretary, Krishnarajasagara Works, read above:—

(1) The total estimate amounting to Rs. 13·18 lakhs excluding credits to an extent of Rs. 2·50 lakhs, the net amount being Rs. 10·69 lakhs as shown in the appendix,

(2) Using the 7,000 acres of dry lands reported to be availabe above the reservoir for purposes of award in the ratio up to the limit of 3 acres of dry land to one acre of dry land submerged, and

(3) Retention of the Land Acquisition establishment connected with the Krishnarajasagara Works with such reductions as are possible up to the end of December 1932.

3. Government are pleased to approve of the above proposals referred to. They desire that the acquisition proceedings should be pushed on vigorously and finally closed within the period now sanctioned.

Government also consider that the establishment of the Land Acquisition Officer is capable of substantial reductions. The Deputy Commissioner is requested to submit proposals in the matter within a month.

4. As it is stated that the lands that will be set free by the shifting of Yedatore Town have not been taken into consideration in framing the estimates and that such lands being irrigable are likely to fetch a good income when sold, the Deputy Commissioner is requested to submit a statement of the lands referred to with probable cost and to arrange for action being taken in due course for their sale.

K. R. SESHACHAR,
Secretary to Government,
Krishnarajasagara Works.